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SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Communication mailed October 2, 2002 (Paper No. 14), the Applicant respectfully submits the following remarks to supplement the Amendment filed on June 25, 2002. Also by this paper, the selected claims have been amended to conform to the Examiner's suggested claim format. Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the Application by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "**Version with Markings to Show Changes Made**"; additions are shown as underlined and deletions are shown **[bracketed]**.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows: